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| **Clinical Sign** | **Small Intestine** | **Large Intestine** |
| **Frequency of defecation** | **Normal or slightly increased** | **Very frequent** |
| **Fecal volume** | **Large quantity of bulky or watery feces** | **Small quantities often** |
| **Urgency** | **Absent** | **Usually present** |
| **Tenesmus** | **Absent** | **Usually present** |
| **Mucus in feces** | **Usually absent** | **Frequent** |
| **Blood in feces** | **Dark black (melena)** | **Red (fresh)** |
| **Weight loss** | **May be present** | **Rare** |